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NAIROBI FOR DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY SEELYE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDIP ET US

SUBJECT: NOTE CONCERNING APPOINTMENT OF MENGISTU AS PMAC
CHAIRMAN

REF: ADDIS ABABA 1045

1. DEPARTMENT PREFERS SEND NO MESSAGE TO MENGISTU THAT
COULD BE MANIPULATED BY EPMG TO APPEAR AS BEING CONGRATU-
LATORY OF EVENTS THAT LED TO HIS APPOINTMENT AS PMAC
CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF OF STATE.

2. IF IT NECESSARY TO RESPOND TO MOFA CIRCULAR NOTIFYING
YOU OF MENGISTU'S APPOINTMENT, BELIEVE REPLY SHOULD BE
SIMPLE ACKNOWLEDGMENT. AS SEEMS MOST APPROPRIATE AT YOUR
DISCRETION, RETURN NOTE MAY BE DELIVERED WITH ORAL RPT
ORAL COMMENT THAT THE US CONTINUES TO VALUE HIGHLY ITS
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TRADITIONAL TIES OF FRIENDSHIP WITH ETHIOPIA AND MAINTAINS
ITS LONG-STANDING INTEREST IN SOCIAL JUSTICE AND MATERIAL
IMPROVEMENT IN THE LIVES OF THE ETHIOPIAN PEOPLE.

3. YOU MAY AT SAME TIME SEND NOTE RENEWING SEELYE REQUEST
FOR APPOINTMENT WITH MENGISTU AS CHIEF OF STATE.

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